

## MINUTES OF THE COMMITTEE ON TRANSPORTATION

March 15, 2007

10:30 a.m.

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The Chair called the meeting to order.

Present were: Reps. Hopgood, Griffin, Accavitti, Bieda, Donigan, Ebli, Leland, Mayes, Miller, Young, LaJoy, Casperson, Nitz, Pavlov, Pearce, Stahl, Knollenberg.

Absent: None.

Rep. Miller moved to approve the minutes of the meeting held March 8, 2007. The motion prevailed.

The Chair recognized Donald Stypula, Executive Director of the Grand Valley Metropolitan Council, for a presentation on Transportation Planning in the Grand Rapids Metropolitan Area.

Questions followed.

The Chair laid before the Committee HB 4304 – LeBlanc – Traffic control; traffic regulation; land change within an intersection; prohibit.

Rep. Accavitti moved to amend HB 4304 as follows:

1. Amend page 1, line 10, after “**NOT**” by striking out the balance of the line through “**WHILE**” on line 1 of page 2 and inserting “**CHANGE LANE**”.

The motion prevailed, the vote being 16-0-1.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Reps. Hopgood, Griffin, Accavitti, Bieda, Donigan, Ebli, Mayes, Miller, Young, LaJoy, Casperson, Nitz, Pavlov, Pearce, Stahl, Knollenberg,

Nays: None.

Rep. Bieda moved to report out HB 4304, as amended, with the recommendation that it pass. The motion prevailed, the vote being 17-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Reps. Hopgood, Griffin, Accavitti, Bieda, Donigan, Ebli, Leland, Mayes, Miller, Young, LaJoy, Casperson, Nitz, Pavlov, Pearce, Stahl, Knollenberg,

Nays: None.

The Chair laid before the Committee HB 4198 – Kathleen Law – Transportation; requirement for gasoline to contain 10% ethanol.

Rep. Griffin moved to refer HB 4198 to the Committee on Agriculture. The motion prevailed, the vote being 16-1-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Reps. Hopgood, Griffin, Accavitti, Bieda, Donigan, Ebli, Leland, Mayes, Young, LaJoy, Casperson, Nitz, Pavlov, Pearce, Stahl, Knollenberg,

Nays: Rep. Miller.

The Chair laid before the Committee HB 4289 – Constan – Vehicles; equipment; installation of ignition interlocking device for high blood alcohol content drunk driving convictions; require.

Rep. Bieda moved to refer HB 4289 to the Committee on Judiciary. The motion prevailed, the vote being 17-0-0.

FAVORABLE ROLL CALL:

Yeas: Reps. Hopgood, Griffin, Accavitti, Bieda, Donigan, Ebli, Leland, Mayes, Miller, Young, LaJoy, Casperson, Nitz, Pavlov, Pearce, Stahl, Knollenberg,

Nays: None.

With no further business to come before the Committee, Chair Hopgood adjourned the meeting, the time being 11:35 a.m.

Mary Lou Terrien, Clerk

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Representative Hoon-Yung Hopgood, Chair